



**THE WHIST**

**A History of Its  
Expos**

**The Leading Con  
Bristow's War  
Then**

**Avery a Tool of the  
and the "Sylph**

**The Rapture Between  
and President**

**Alleged Indorsement  
Donald by the**

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**The President Declines  
to Be**

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*Washington Correspondent*

The pardon of William  
convicted on the charge of  
Donald, Joyce, and others  
States of the revenue from  
at St. Louis, enables me  
inside history of the White  
and the political complicity  
them, which I have not  
fore to disclose. The in-  
to the discovery of the  
spread conspiracy to def-  
remanufacture and d-

by the name of  
in St. Louis, Chicago, a  
about the middle of Feb  
town, the then Secretary  
had some experience in  
and fully appreciated th  
have to encounter in thi  
dertaking. Although he  
he had learned how serio  
attempt to eradicate or  
purify an Administration  
the leaders of his party  
was constantly in doub  
tions of his official chief.

was in the investigation of a conspiracy, a duty imposed upon him by the difficulties, the guilt of the man who, at the instigation of the Washington Ring, had perjured himself before the District Attorney's office for the purpose of falsely implicating men, was made apparent to the Secret Service Division in connection with the department, with several associates and Assistant Secretaries, and until the conclusive proof of the conspiracy was furnished to the Secret Service Division by the Secretary Bristow could

resignation. Indeed, to the progress of the inquiry, it is probable that the Solicitor who was prosecuting in order, would be removed, and obedience to the demand, and Attorney-General failed solely because the Solicitor after almost incredible guilt of conspiracy on the part of the two men Babcock and Williams were most anxious to obtain the resignation of the Secretary of the most important division of the department, as a matter of THE SEAL-LOCK FRAUD that attracted the attention

tow. While the investigation progressed, Senator John C. Calhoun, of South Carolina, endeavored to approach the Secretary of the Interior, but was met with the following reply: "The Secretary is pushing that matter very hard, and expects to have that in a few months. I am confident that the present operators in the Pacific Northwest are a home thrust, for the Pacific Northwest is a prominent operator," said the Secretary. "I am sure that the Secretary will be very fair in his treatment of the Pacific Northwest," said the Secretary. "I am confident, however, on the Pacific Northwest, S. P. Bro. of the Washington Ring, is a swindling concern, and the influence of the solid

tives and Senators, from Mrs. Minnie Benton, a friend of the President, was American Seal-Lock Company. On more than one occasion her influence was scale in favor of Broderick's competing lock invention. When the hold inside the Treasury building these combinations failed, the Treasury ordered the contract to be given to the Seal-Lock Company to prevent fraud.

Cattell had, by the com-  
position Robeson and Jay Co-  
& Co. here, and Jay Co-  
London, during the pan-  
party to the conspiracy.  
the Navy Department for  
sustain the tottering ho-  
Culloch & Co.; but this  
was the least of his wrong-  
his he had rendered to his  
his reappointment was for-  
towed refused to make it.  
tary was not to be moved  
the President, who dem-  
Gen. Boynton, in the  
said:

All the Rings in Washington play to worry and annoy points, with the view of a sort of his position as to his retirement. Instead, force by announcing that he understood any circumstances to be under any circumstances in connection with the Cabinet in connection with the facts and understandings in the Cabinet of the difficulties he has satisfied Secretary Britton upon the negative of his contests with him was only sure of it with conclusive proof that the President

HIS OPERATIONS AGAINST the conspiracy and was read suspect, until long after the investigation, after the student's official householder. He was aware of the initial McDonald and the President to old-time acquaintances that Babcock also was a but very naturally though the latter's cordial relation. Of the intimacy between had no knowledge whatsoever, therefore, to withhold operations against the

President nullified the war but not prompted the rebellion. He had experience in regard to internal resistance. He had got the President of Supervisors, McDowell Washington and rallied the force to have the order first move on the secretary was determined confidence in the second could not personally trust the agents were betrayed, he own subordinates to his the investigation were and by the first week it work of ferreting out the

made, and the final result; but, about the middle of the month, the records of the wholesale sales were suggested, and the problem was especially members on the stamps were traced through all its and by the 1st of May were obtained to war place on Monday, May 10th of April the Secretary of the President of the in cutting. At or about evidence obtained by the included to of the Gauger

traders' books in it was sufficient to convince revenue officers in St. L. then for the first time acquainted with some of the testimony of Seidred about the time he went to attend the Centennial at Lexington. A



the Editor  
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New







In the way of biography, Kelly said that he had always lived in the city, and had been one

ing safe to return home, the officials

are veterans in the service "good as new."

they will still be as to year grow due under it.  
or provision that a contract

penalty, the Lieutenant-Governor warns people from contact with the settlement. The man

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